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SON SLAUGHTERED NEAR HAWESVILLE

In Self Defense by Father—
Whiskey Causes Terrible
Tragedy in the Home of Lon
Adkins.

FRANK ADKINS DEAD.

An extra edition of the Hancock Clarion carried news of the sad tragedy which happened Sunday afternoon when at the home of Lon Adkins, when he shot one of his sons to death and probably fatally wounded another. Willie and Frank Adkins, who reside near Hawesville, somewhat under the influence of liquor drove to the home of their father, Lon Adkins, who lives in the Chambers neighborhood. Will Adkins went for the purpose of getting his 9 year old son, Cicero, who had been making his home with his grandfather, since the death of his mother four years ago. A year ago his father married again and Sunday went for the purpose of taking him to his own home, but the boy did not want to leave his grandfather. Mr. Adkins told his son it was all right if Cicero wanted to go, but he did not think he was in a condition to take care of the child. Will Adkins commanded his son to return with him, but the boy objected. This brought cruel words which Frank Adkins rebuked his brother severely. However, they started off reconciled without Cicero and invited their mother to come to see them. As they were leaving, their father said: "Boys, the next time you come to my house, come sober and see if you can behave yourselves." Simultaneously the two men started toward their father, who ran for his revolver. "Boys, don't come in," warned the father. They paid no attention and ran the father, through the house, yard and orchard. They did not heed and Will, raised a hoe handle as if to strike his father, who fired his pistol. The bullet struck Will in the upper part of the stomach. After Will was shot Frank kept rushing on his father, who fired on him, the bullet entering his heart. Frank Adkins dropped dead.

Lon Adkins, the father, is heart-broken and Mrs. Adkins is inconsolable. Frank Adkins leaves a wife, five children and two step daughters. Will Adkins has the one son, Cicero Adkins. The physicians say he will recover. Lon Adkins had his examining trial yesterday.

Engagement Announced.

The Rev. J. T. Rushing and Mrs. Rushing have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Georgia Rushing, to Mr. Louis Nunn Sacrey, of Bagdad, Ky. The marriage will take place Thursday, June 24.

Beautiful Improvements.

The residence of Judge Thos. Wroe and Mrs. Wroe has recently been painted white with no color trimmings. The place is beautiful this summer as many improvements have recently been made. Cloverport is a town of beautifully kept homes.

OWENSBORO MARRIAGES

Prominent Young People—
Beautiful Weddings—Many
Guests Present.

A beautiful wedding was that of Miss Martine McCulloch to Mr. Charles Wylie Villas, of Cleveland, Ohio, which was brilliantly celebrated at noon on Saturday, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCulloch, in Frederica street. Rev. E. S. Fitzgerald, pastor of St. Paul's Catholic church, impressively performed the ceremony, before a large assemblage of friends and relatives of the couple.

One of the interesting weddings of the spring was that of Miss Janey Woodson to Mr. William Overstreet, which was beautifully solemnized at 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Urey Woodson, in South Frederica street.

The Rev. E. E. Bomar, pastor of the First Baptist church, performed the ceremony, in the presence of a number of relatives and friends of the couple. —Owensboro Messenger.

Western Star Chapter to Meet June 19.

Hardinsburg, June 7.—(Special).—Western Star Chapter, No. 20, will meet Saturday, June 19, at 2 o'clock p. m. for conference of all chapter degrees. Supper 7:30 p. m. All Royal Arch Masons invited. Team from Louisville will confer the degrees. J. Whitworth, H. P. Andrew Driskell, Secy.

Hodgenville Pastor Will Preach Sunday.

The Rev. Mr. Penick, of Hodgenville, will deliver a sermon at the Methodist church in this city Sunday morning by the invitation of the pastor. He will be accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Penick, of Garfield. While here they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Penick. Mr. Penick is one of the best known young ministers in the Methodist Conference.

Residences Improved.

The house belonging to Edward McAfee, in Second street, has been repainted and repaired, and the Fraize house, in St. Rose Court, has undergone many improvements. Both houses are very attractive in their fresh coats of paint.

Mrs. Harper Dead.

Mrs. Henry Harper died at her home in Webster Friday at the age of sixty-five years. She leaves a husband and seven children. Her sons are: J. M., John, Chas., Allie, Ben and Joe Harper, the daughter is Miss Mamie Harper. The burial took place at Webster, the Rev. J. F. Wade conducting the services.

Smith-Hoben.

Miss Maud Lee Smith and William Hoben were married at Axtel, Ky., at eight o'clock Wednesday morning. The Rev. Joseph Odendall officiated.

DENTAL ASSOCIATION

Will Hold Its Annual Meeting at
Ashland, Beginning on Tues-
day.

The Forty-sixth annual meeting of the Kentucky State Dental Association will be held at Ashland, beginning on Tuesday and continuing three days. The sessions will be presided over by Dr. O. D. Wilson, of this city, who is president of this association. Dr. and Mrs. Wilson will leave for Ashland this afternoon. Other dentists from here will also attend the meeting.

The president's address by Dr. Wilson will be delivered on the afternoon of the first day. He will also act as toastmaster at the banquet.

The second and third day will be devoted to illustrated lectures, clinics, etc., and the annual elections of officers. —Owensboro Inquirer.

Goes Into Partnership.

Milton Squires has joined partnership with James Bishop in his general machine shop here. Mr. Squires is an agreeable man in business and success is promised him and Mr. Bishop.

Jones-Smith.

The marriage of Miss Lucile Jones and Mr. Turner Beale Smith was solemnized in Elizabethtown last Wednesday afternoon at the bride's home. Mr. Smith is the brother of Mrs. Hugh Wood, of this city. Mrs. Wood and her mother, Mrs. Kitchen, met Mr. and Mrs. Smith in Louisville Thursday and were entertained at the Seelbach.

Excursion Saturday.

The handsome excursion boat, Homer Smith, of West Virginia, will be run from Cloverport to Owensboro Saturday, June 12. The tickets are 50 cents and 25 cents for children. The boat has created much interest here. Its capacity is 3,000 people.

Stores Close Early.

All the Cloverport grocery and mercantile stores will close at six o'clock every evening during the summer except Saturday nights and "pay night."

Fine Strawberries.

John D. Babbage received last week a gallon of the largest strawberries that has ever been seen. They were sent Mr. Babbage by William Mattingly, of Buechel, Ky., from his farm on Rural Route No. 10, box 179. Mr. Mattingly is making a success in growing small fruits, and the berries he sent were certainly fine evidence of his work and prosperity. The editor of The Breckenridge News appreciates being remembered and is glad to see what his subscribers are accomplishing.

Cincinnati Cooperage Company Discontinued.

William Lynch, of Irvin, Ky., was here last week on business. Mr. Lynch said that the Cincinnati Cooperage Co., with which he has been connected for seventeen years, has discontinued business entirely. Evelyn Clark, the manager, is now in Colorado, where he is in business. Mr. Clark's family is with him.

Twenty-one Days Rain on Corn.

Hawkins Smith said Monday that for twenty-one days rain had fallen on his crop of 300 acres of corn. That he had not been able to get his plows going, but he started three cultivators and five single plows to work Monday in spite of the rain, and trusting for a little sunshine.

Visit Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferry and son, Miller Ferry, left Monday for Atlantic City. Mr. Ferry, master mechanic of the L. H. & St. L. Ry. shops, will attend two railroad conventions while there. They will be gone two weeks.

Bookstore Bankrupt.

Proceedings in involuntary bankruptcy were instituted against Charles T. Dearing, proprietor of the Dearing bookstore on Fourth street in Louisville. The petition was filed by three creditors, who gave the amounts alleged due them as follows: Gibson Art Company, Cincinnati, \$350; C. E. Merrill, New York, \$16.30; Gottschalk, Dreyfuss & Davis, New York, \$237.55.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Weldon and son, George Weldon, of Owensboro, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Byrre Severs Sunday.

MEETING CLOSED

No Visible Results, But Sermons
of Strength and Courage
Were Received by Christians.

The Rev. G. W. Hummel, of Russellville, left for his home Friday night after giving a series of most helpful sermons at the Methodist church.

While no results were visible, the meeting was a benefit and a pleasure to many. Through the entire week Rev. Hummel continuously read the scripture, prayed and preached so that many were helped. He gave lengthy readings from the Bible, saying that all the words he could say would not be as great as those. He prayed in gratitude that everywhere are found the few who are faithful. One of the best sermons he preached was about Job—not about his patience but his triumph with Christ over Satan. Job in all his afflictions, he believed in God and trusted him. His great belief made him a victorious man. "When you have disappointments, failure in business, clothes that are out of style, a husband who fails to meet the bills, a wife who frets and worries, if you can still keep love in your heart and know that God is with you, you shall triumph. If you are left on a rock with no one, but God, you are safe. These are some of the thoughts from his good sermon about the man who is remembered for his patience. Rev. Hummel said the meanest words in the English language when they are put together are: "I told you so."

Day's Pleasure Sadly Ended.

Monday evening about nine o'clock Miss Marie Birchler, of Tell City, met death by drowning when she attempted to step from a gasoline boat and missed her footing. The young lady stepped between two barges and was never seen again, as the body must have struck one of the barges when it rose. She had been with a party of school friends on a fishing trip, and was returning when the accident occurred. In less than a minute she was gone from view and the current carried her beneath the barge from where she had stepped. A diligent search for the body was begun immediately, her body being found Friday afternoon.

Much Interest in

Brown's Contest Now.

Brown's, the ice cream parlor and candy kitchen, has an interesting contest on. With every nickel a chance to draw a letter is given. If you get the letters to spell Brown's, and the first to get to the restaurant on July 5, you will get \$5. Much interest is taken in the contest. One ice cream fiend has Brown, just three more letters to get.

Y. W. C. A. Delegate.

Miss Judith Ellen Beard, of Hardinsburg, was elected delegate by the Lexington Y. W. C. A. to the annual convention at Blue Ridge, North Carolina.

Miss Kroush Dead.

Union Star, June 7.—(Special).—Miss Dolly Kroush died Saturday morning, June 5, after a lingering illness. The funeral took place Sunday from the Methodist church, South, conducted by Rev. Henry Hoffman.

DECORATION DAY

Observed Here Sunday—Appropriate Exercises Held By
Knights and Woodmen—A
Special Address.

The Knights of Pythias and the Modern Woodmen of America observed Decoration Day in Cloverport Sunday. The members of both lodges marched to the cemetery and held appropriate exercises. A special address was delivered for the Knights of Pythias Lodge by Reuben Miller Holland, of Owensboro. Many beautiful flowers were placed on the graves.

The Modern Woodmen were dressed in white uniform and carried their emblems.

A large attendance of the members was had by both lodges.

Meeting of the Division Board of Education No. 2.

Pursuant to law and at the call of chairman, T. M. Bates, Division Board No. 2, Breckenridge county, in Cloverport, Ky., for the purpose of electing teachers for the various districts for the ensuing school year. The districts were called in order, beginning with No. 1.

No. 1, New Bethel—Miss Theresa Roland.
No. 2, Balltown—Miss Settie Falls.
No. 3, Hazel Dell—No election.
No. 4, Hickory Lick—No election.
No. 5, Pisgah—Mrs. W. C. Pate.
No. 6, Hardins—Miss Mina Pate.
No. 7, Hites Run—Miss Alyce Waggoner.

No. 8, Persimmons Flat—E. Stuart Babbage.

No. 9, Holt, Miss Cecile Dix.

No. 10, Floods—Miss Sallie Meador.

No. 11, Tuckers—No election.

No. 12, Tar Fork—Paul McCoy.

No. 13, Sample—Mrs. J. A. Marshal.

No. 14, Tauls—Miss Pelecia Allen.

No. 15, McGavocks—Nelly Beatty.

Cloverport Colored School—Silas E. Dean, principal, Mrs. Rosa Green, assistant.

Minute recorded, approved and received.

JOHN A. BLYTHE,
Secretary.

Quarantine Will Soon be Lifted.

Washington, June.—The agricultural department states that the work of disinfecting exposed pens at the Bourbon stockyards, will be completed today, and the report from Louisville is to the effect that conditions are very satisfactory.

It is expected that the entire yards will be open Monday under the same conditions which prevailed before the last slight outbreak of foot and mouth disease developed.

On Monday Indiana will be absolutely freed of quarantine with the exception of the Belt Line stockyards which will remain under limited quarantine. The general situation as to disease is very satisfactory.

Polk-Payne.

Miss Mayme L. Polk and Mr. Lloyd M. Payne, of Tobinsport, were married at Cannelton last Tuesday morning. The marriage took place at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. C. E. Ketcham officiated. They were accompanied by Mr. Floyd Kinder and Miss Frances Sheldon.

K. P. A. MEETS

Annual Mid-Summer Meeting of
Kentucky Press at Olympian
Springs.

A large delegation of Kentucky newspaper folk took a special C. & O. train in Louisville Monday morning to attend the annual mid-summer meeting of the Kentucky Press Association, June 7-11, at Olympian Springs.

Mr. J. Curtis Alcock, secretary of the association, who has been exceptionally busy in the service of the organization during the past four weeks, predicts that the meeting will be an unusually large one, several hundred having signified that they would attend.

An informal reception at the Olympian Springs Hotel on Monday will precede the formal opening on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

The president, James R. Lemon, of the Mayfield Messenger, will make his address at this meeting, and Gov. M. H. Thatcher, of Louisville, will make the address of welcome.

Teachers Elected.

Teachers elected for the coming school term are as follows:

Glen Dean—Passed.
Moorman School—Miss Sada Hall.
Morton School—Nellie Sheeran.
McQuady No. 5—Miss Ella Whittinghill.

McQuady—Andrew Driskell, principal, Miss Ruth Chambliss, assistant. Mattingly School—Miss Annistalla Mattingly.

Popular Run—Mrs. Mary Brown.

Fairview—Preston Cooper.

Balltown—Miss Christie Wroe.

Rock Lick—Miss Elmina Lyons.

Whittinghill—Miss Helen Whittinghill.

Jackson School—Miss Mary Sheeran.

Overton School—Miss Lois Baker.

West Point Citizen

Found Dead in Bed.

James Brewster Jewell, forty-five, former employe of the Kosmosdale Cement Works, at Kosmosdale, was found dead in bed last Friday morning when his wife went to summons him to breakfast. He had been in ill health for some time, and it is believed that heart trouble caused his death. He is survived by his widow, his mother, one daughter and a sister. —Vine Grove Sentinel.

Leave Soon For the West.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kingsbury and their daughter, Miss Helen Kingsbury, and his mother, Mrs. Lora Kingsbury, will leave the last of this month for Tulare, California, to make their home. Their residence here was bought by Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Gibson.

The Kingsburys are leaving lifelong friends in Cloverport, whose good wishes will always follow them. In Tulare they will be met by Mrs. Kingsbury's sister, Mrs. Stith, and Mrs. Mary Dunn, formerly of Cloverport.

Mr. Lishen Busy.

Carl Lishen, dealer in roofing material, guttering, spouting, etc., has had all the work he could do in the last two weeks. Mr. Lishen has opened a shop in Elm street. Mr. Lishen says: "Short settlements make lasting friends," and is a good collector as well as a good worker.

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